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54.314(b) Self-Certification Submission Year: 2017

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Re: CC Docket No. 96-45/WC Docket No. 14-58, Annual Self Certification of support for Eligible Telecommunications Carriers Pursuant to 47 C.F.R. & 54.314

Pursuant to the requirements of 47 C.F.R § 54.314, the **Pine Belt Cellular, Inc.** hereby certifies to the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) and the Universal Service Administrative Company (USAC) that the Study Area Codes (SACs) listed below are eligible to receive federal high-cost support for the program years cited.

I, **John C. Nettles**, certify that for the Study Area Codes (SACs) listed below all federal high-cost support provided to **Pine Belt Cellular**, **Inc** was used in the preceding calendar year (**2016**) and will be used in the coming calendar year (**2018**) only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended. ¹

ETCs CERTIFIED BY Pine Belt Cellular, Inc.

Company Name	SAC	Company Name	SAC
PINE BELT CELLULAR, INC.	258001	PINE BELT CELLULAR, INC.	258009
PINE BELT CELLULAR, INC.	258002	PINE BELT CELLULAR, INC.	258010
PINE BELT CELLULAR, INC.	258003	PINE BELT CELLULAR, INC.	258011
PINE BELT CELLULAR, INC.	258004	PINE BELT CELLULAR, INC.	258012
PINE BELT CELLULAR, INC.	258005	PINE BELT CELLULAR, INC.	258013
PINE BELT CELLULAR, INC.	258006	PINE BELT CELLULAR, INC.	258014
PINE BELT CELLULAR, INC.	258007	PINE BELT CELLULAR, INC.	258015
PINE BELT CELLULAR, INC.	258008		

Signature of Certifying Officer: Certified On-Line Name of Certifying Officer: <u>John C. Nettles</u>
Title or Position of Certifying Officer: <u>President</u>

Telephone Number of Certifying Officer: <u>3343855001</u> Ext Email Address of Certifying Officer: <u>john@pinebelt.net</u>

Date: 09/19/2017

Signed

47 C.F.R. § 54.314(b) ("Carriers not subject to State jurisdiction. An eligible telecommunications carrier not subject to the jurisdiction of a State that desires to receive support pursuant to the high-cost program must file an annual certification with the Administrator and the Commission stating that all federal high-cost support provided to such carrier was used in the preceding calendar year and will be used in the upcoming calendar year only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended. Support provided pursuant to the high-cost program shall only be provided to the extent that the carrier has filed the requisite certification pursuant to this section.")

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Company Name	SAC
PINE BELT CELLULAR, INC.	259002

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